



**Patent Application**

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Date: 20 September 2004

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosed are:

- 28 pp. Response to 30 June 2004 Office action
- Letter re Change of Payment Status
- Letter re Change of Attorney Name
- Self-addressed receipt confirmation postcard

### Fee Calculation

	Number Previously Paid For	Now Present	Number Extra	Rate	Fee
Total Claims	45	45	0	\$18.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims	6	12	6	\$86.00	\$516.00
Petition for extension of time: [ ] 1 mo. [ ] 2 mos. [ ] 3 mos.					\$0.00
					<b>\$516.00</b>

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